

House Resolution No. 4696

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize the important role the Boy Scouts of America program plays in shaping the lives and potential of tomorrow's leaders; and

Whereas, on November 2, 2003, Lucas Tyler Pilgrim of Troop 269 in Independence, Missouri, received the coveted Eagle Scout Award during a Court of Honor ceremony at Blue Ridge United Methodist Church; and

Whereas, Lucas Pilgrim demonstrated exceptional leadership, skill, and knowledge during the planning and execution of his Eagle Project, an endeavor which involved refurbishing and clearing more than 100 fire hydrants in the Public Water Supply District No. 15 in Lone Jack; and

Whereas, Lucas Pilgrim became involved in Scouting in September of 1994, since which time he has participated in a vast array of Scouting activities including Junior Leadership Training and a High Adventure Trip to the Northern Tier High Adventure Base in Ely, Minnesota; and

Whereas, Lucas Pilgrim has compiled an impressive list of accolades that includes earning forty-four merit badges and Brave status in the Tribe of Mic-O-Say where his tribal name is "Brave Streaking Silver Lightning"; and

Whereas, the Blood Brother of fellow Scout Alex Kuhn, Lucas Pilgrim has learned to accept major responsibility as a result of the fine direction he provided his Troop during his important terms of service as Den Chief, Senior Patrol Leader, and Bugler; and

Whereas, a freshman at Lone Jack High School where he is active in the Band and the Basketball and Track teams, Lucas Pilgrim has derived a tremendous amount of satisfaction from camping with friends and family, playing soccer, and participating in activities with Eastside Church of Christ; and

Whereas, Lucas credits his Scouting success to the support and encouragement of his fellow Scouts and Troop Leaders of Troop 269, community and church leaders, Lone Jack School teachers and principals, and the members of his wonderful family which include his parents, Darin and Cindy Pilgrim; his sister, Jessica; his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Pilgrim and Mr. and Mrs. Hunnicutt; and his aunts and uncles:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in congratulating Lucas Pilgrim upon his most worthy receipt of the Eagle Scout Award; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Eagle Scout Lucas Tyler Pilgrim.

Offered by _____
Representative Terry Young
District No. 49

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 4696, adopted November 19, 2003.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker